
KTOO FM Public File First Quarter 2015

The management of KTOO-FM, in conjunction with KTOO's Community Advisory Board, has determined the following issues to be of significant interest with the station's service area for the period of January 1, 2015 - March 31, 2015.

- 1) Local and state politics*
- 2) Ethnic, minority and cultural issues*
- 3) Natural Resource issues*
- 4) Tourism issues*
- 5) Education issues*

The following list illustrates many of the primary programs or stories broadcast by KTOO-FM to address those issues.

Notations for the various story types include:

P = Package

I = Interview

W and W2 = host Wrap and alternate version

R = Reader

C = Commentary

Packages usually run 2:30 to 4 minutes in length. Interviews segments usually run 4 to 7 minutes, host wraps are a minute to 2:30 in total length, and readers are generally 30 seconds to 1:30. Unless otherwise noted, all stories or features aired during weekday morning newscasts at 6:19, 6:49, 7:19, 7:49, 8:19, and 8:49 am and during afternoon newscasts at 12:29 and 4:30 pm. Afternoon newscasts are also repeated on KRNN at 5:00 pm.

Local and State Political Issues

In addition to coverage of local and state issues during regularly scheduled newscasts, KTOO-FM also broadcasts regular meetings of the Assembly of the City and Borough of Juneau. Each meeting is usually held on the first and third Monday of each month at 7:00 pm and may last from an hour to four hours in length..

<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Story type</i>
1/2/2015	Draft economic plan lays out eight basic initiatives for the CBJ	P
1/2/2015	CBJ administration starting over on Capital Transit bus plan	W
1/6/2015	Anti-gender and sex discrimination bill is being introduced by Representative Cathy Munoz	W
1/6/2015	Environmental review of Juneau Access continuing even though a spending freeze is underway	P

<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Story type</i>
1/8/2015	Senator-elect Bill Stoltze will introduce a bill to move Legislature to Anchorage	W
1/8/2015	Senator Dennis Egan not happy with Senator-elect Bill Stoltze introducing legislative move bill	W
1/9/2015	Preview of Governor's Inaugural Gala	W
1/9/2015	Seniors speak out against killing senior sales tax exemption	P
1/9/2015	Juneau Assembly to consider legal marijuana measures tonight	P
1/12/2015	Board of Game at half-way point of regulation deliberations during regional Juneau meeting	R
1/12/2015	Tongass Advisory Committee meets in Juneau to consider second growth	W
1/12/2015	Assembly taking comment on two marijuana proposals	W
1/12/2015	Highlights of Governor's Inauguration Gala	W
1/12/2015	Board of Game reduces overall harvest of Alexander Archipelago wolves on Prince of Wales Island	W
1/12/2015	CBJ Assembly adopts commercial pot moratorium	P
1/12/2015	Pat Kemp has resigned as commissioner of Department of Transportation at request of Governor Walker	W
1/13/2015	Board of Game votes down a proposal to allow use of felt sole waders by hunters, other proposals considered	R
1/13/2015	Transportation Commissioner Pat Kemp told to resign over disagreements on large projects	W
1/13/2015	Public meeting scheduled for tonight on proposed fees at the Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center	W
1/13/2015	Juneau Assembly adopts moratorium for zoning and land use rules for marijuana	P
1/14/2015	Sam Cotton only name to be sent to Governor Walker as prospective commissioner of the Department of Fish and Game	W
1/14/2015	Charlie Swanton of Juneau, formerly of sport fish division, named ADF&G deputy commissioner	R
1/14/2015	Board of Game defers change on wounded game regulation to next meeting	W
1/14/2015	Sam Cotton selected by Board of Game and Board of Fisheries as new commissioner of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game	W,W2
1/14/2015	Board of Game delays consideration of wounded game regulation changes	P
1/15/2015	Juneau Senator Dennis Egan talks about his expectations for the upcoming legislative session.	P
1/19/2015	CBJ Assembly told not to do away with senior sales tax exemption	W
1/20/2015	29th Alaska Legislature convened in Juneau on Tuesday	W
1/21/2015	Profile of the Representative Sam Kito III's priorities during this legislative session	P

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1/21/2015	Juneau Community Reception is planned for this evening before the State of the Budget address	P
1/21/2015	Juneau legislative delegation meets with CBJ Assembly on priorities	P,W2
1/22/2015	Tongass Advisory Committee members unhappy with efforts to speed up work	W
1/23/2015	Letter to Tongass Advisory Committee warns against too much harvesting of trees that may mitigate climate change	W
1/26/2015	Marc Luiken named again as commissioner of the Department of Transportation	W
1/27/2015	Update on Prince Rupert ferry terminal reconstruction dispute between Alaska and British Columbia	W
1/27/2015	CBJ encouraged to bring more federal fisheries research jobs to Juneau	P
1/29/2015	Sealaska plans to log newly acquired land in Southeast Alaska	P
1/30/2015	Juneau School District comes up with options in advance of undefined state and local funding	P
2/3/2015	Joyce Kerttula, wife of Jaymar and mom of Beth, passes away at the age of 91	P
2/3/2015	CBJ Assembly passes ordinance that will include pot as part of the indoor public smoking ban	P
2/3/2015	Mike Neussl returns as deputy DOT commissioner overseeing state ferries	P,W2
2/4/2015	Juneau lawmakers want more state department commissioners to live and work in the Capital City	W
2/4/2015	Juneau Assembly passes 200% local tax increase on cigarettes	P,R
2/4/2015	Juneau legislators ask Governor Bill Walker for more of his commissioners to live and work in Juneau	W
2/4/2015	Juneau calls on International Joint Commission to do thorough review of transboundary mining projects	P
2/4/2015	Only one person provides comment during last night's two hour budget forum	P
2/4/2015	Alaskans have only 11 days to get health insurance under the Affordable Care Act	W
2/4/2015	Only one person testifies on proposed Juneau School District budget	W
2/5/2015	Appeal hearing for Haven House conditional use permit is scheduled for April 13th after first women move in	W
2/9/2015	Kirk Duncan takes over Parks and Recreation Department as overhaul is planned	P
2/11/2015	Chief Justice Dana Fabe speaks to a joint session of the Alaska Legislature about budget cuts	W
2/13/2015	Survivor of child sexual abuse, David Holthouse, speaks about latest push to legislate sexual abuse education in the schools	W
2/13/2015	Alaska's Alcoholic Beverage Control Board to consider recommendations on marijuana regulation	P
2/13/2015	Committee made up of Assemblymembers and Planning Commissioners created to look at land use issues for marijuana in Juneau	W

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2/17/2015	Tongass Advisory Committee meeting in Juneau this week	W
2/17/2015	Juneau's legislative delegation continue to press Governor Bill Walker about residency of commissioners	P,W2
2/17/2015	School Board meets today to talk about next year's budget	W
2/18/2015	Climate change rally held on Capitol steps as Senator Lisa Murkowski briefly discusses views regarding climate change, president's visit	P
2/18/2015	Gered Godfrey named as the governor's new rural affairs advisor	W
2/19/2015	Foster kids recount their experiences as lawmaker pushes for reform of state program	P
2/23/2015	Alaska film industry and students consider the future of film if credits are cut by Alaska Legislature	P
2/23/2015	Assembly to consider landswap to open up 150 acres on Pederson Hill for new housing	P
2/24/2015	CBJ Assembly defines the use of public place for marijuana consumption	W
2/24/2015	Update on last week's meeting of the Tongass Advisory Committee focusing on second growth harvesting	P
2/25/2015	Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission responds to ADF&G report of inefficiencies, lawmakers moves to dissolve agency	P
2/25/2015	Forrest Cole is retiring from the Forest Service and head of the Tongass National Forest	P
2/26/2015	Walker Administration sets up transboundary working group[P
2/26/2015	CBJ Assembly get report on burned out Gastineau Apartments	P
2/27/2015	Juneau legislative delegation wants to name SLAM after Father Andrew P. Kashevaroff	W
3/3/2015	Legislature consider cuts to early childhood education funding	P
3/3/2015	Assembly requests more proposals for downtown lot	W
3/3/2015	Head of school district asks CBJ Assembly for full local funding for activities and programs, more teachers	W
3/4/2015	Testimony taken by the House Finance Committee on proposed operating budget	W
3/6/2015	Bureau of Land Management signs over Tongass timber land to Sealaska	P
3/6/2015	Sample and history of debate over eliminating Daylight Saving Time and splitting Alaska into two major time zones	P
3/10/2015	Juneau School District mulling over possible budget cuts in advance of lower contributions from state and CBJ	W
3/13/2015	Alaska Youth for Environmental Action name lawmakers of the year who lead on Arctic policy and other Alaska issues	W
3/13/2015	Lawmaker calls for labeling of food made from genetically-modified organisms (GMO)	P
3/16/2015	Southeast Conference mid session summit getting underway	W

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3/17/2015	Assembly strengthens hawking ordinance, adopts Auke Bay Area Plan, and calls for the Legislature to expand Medicaid	W,R
3/17/2015	Prince Rupert delegation visits Juneau during Southeast Conference mid-session summit	W
3/18/2015	Assembly decides against handing out grant money for construction of mother-in-law apartments	P
3/18/2015	Department of Transportation's interim Southcoast director is Rob Campbell	W
3/23/2015	Update on Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission and why it could be absorbed within ADF&G	P
3/23/2015	Judge allows Big Thorne timber sale to go forward	P,W2
3/23/2015	Sustainable budget still not possible at CBJ although overall budget picture has improved	P
3/25/2015	Update on humpback whale sculpture planned for downtown Juneau waterfront	W
3/25/2015	Juneau School Board approves \$86 million budget that is still dependent on CBJ and state funding	W
3/26/2015	CBJ moving ahead on proposed West Douglas pioneer road	W
3/26/2015	Grant award for feasibility study of expanded Willoughby District arts center	R
3/27/2015	House Fisheries Committee votes to eliminate Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission	W
3/27/2015	Senate subcommittee cuts money for sexual assault and domestic violence prevention programs	P
3/31/2015	Senate Finance Committee hears public comments about proposed budget cuts to public broadcasting, state ferries, and early childhood education	W

Ethnic, Cultural, and Minority Issues

In addition to stories produced locally and at other stations, KTOO also broadcasts National Native News, a five-minute news program, which airs during weekdays at 3:00 p.m.

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1/7/2015	High level of optimism among Alaska Native elders in Seattle may be related to desire to pass on knowledge and experience	P
1/8/2015	SEAGLA organization enjoying resurgence with new members, funding	P
1/9/2015	Preview of Governor's Inaugural Gala	W
1/12/2015	Highlights of Governor's Inauguration Gala	W
1/19/2015	Profile of two person play The Mountaintop	W
1/23/2015	Sarah Dybdahl is the new executive director of the Huna Heritage Foundation	W
1/29/2015	Sealaska plans to log newly acquired land in Southeast Alaska	P
2/3/2015	Profile of information Tlingit language sessions held at the downtown library	P
2/6/2015	Wesley Schulz is the second candidate conductor for this weekend's performance of The Juneau Symphony	P
2/16/2015	School kids learning about Elizabeth Peratovich	P
2/18/2015	Gered Godfrey named as the governor's new rural affairs advisor	W
2/18/2015	Climate change rally held on Capitol steps as Senator Lisa Murkowski briefly discusses views regarding climate change, president's visit	P
2/27/2015	Juneau legislative delegation wants to name SLAM after Father Andrew P. Kashevaroff	W
2/27/2015	Profile of Juneau Pride Chorus	P
3/6/2015	Transgender support group established for Juneau, now meeting	P
3/6/2015	Bureau of Land Management signs over Tongass timber land to Sealaska	P
3/6/2015	Profile of local writer, comic Libby Bakalar	P
3/13/2015	Preview of Gold Medal basketball tournament that feature teams from most Southeast Alaska villages	W
3/13/2015	Juneau Public Library system participating in new StoryCorps project in Southeast Alaska	P
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3/17/2015	UAS showcases Tlingit Raven stories	P
3/19/2015	Profile of Ricci Adan and how her dancing is influenced by personal tragedy years ago	P
3/19/2015	Short SLAM update that includes imminent install of new Eagle Tree trunk	W,W2
3/20/2015	CCTHITA getting \$500,000 grant to help with energy upgrades at Andrew Hope Building	R
3/26/2015	Grant award for feasibility study of expanded Willoughby District arts center	R
3/27/2015	Jeremy Briggs Roberts is third conductor candidate for Juneau Symphony	P

Natural Resource Issues

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1/12/2015	Tongass Advisory Committee meets in Juneau to consider second growth	W
1/12/2015	Board of Game at half-way point of regulation deliberations during regional Juneau meeting	R
1/12/2015	Board of Game reduces overall harvest of Alexander Archipelago wolves on Prince of Wales Island	W
1/13/2015	Public meeting scheduled for tonight on proposed fees at the Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center	W
1/14/2015	Board of Game delays consideration of wounded game regulation changes	P
1/14/2015	Charlie Swanton of Juneau, formerly of sport fish division, named ADF&G deputy commissioner	R
1/14/2015	Sam Cotton selected by Board of Game and Board of Fisheries as new commissioner of the Alaska Department of Fish and Game	W,W2
1/22/2015	Kathleen Adair describes rescuing an eagle caught in trap on a trail north of Juneau	P
1/22/2015	Tongass Advisory Committee members unhappy with efforts to speed up work	W
1/23/2015	Letter to Tongass Advisory Committee warns against too much harvesting of trees that may mitigate climate change	W
1/27/2015	CBJ encouraged to bring more federal fisheries research jobs to Juneau	P
1/29/2015	Sealaska plans to log newly acquired land in Southeast Alaska	P
1/29/2015	Governor Walker encourages Alaskans at Innovation Summit to be ingenious	W
2/4/2015	Juneau calls on International Joint Commission to do thorough review of transboundary mining projects	P
2/6/2015	Red Chris Mine gets interim permit for operation in the Stikine River watershed	P
2/17/2015	Tongass Advisory Committee meeting in Juneau this week	W
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2/25/2015	Forrest Cole is retiring from the Forest Service and head of the Tongass National Forest	P
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Tourism Issues

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1/13/2015	Public meeting scheduled for tonight on proposed fees at the Mendenhall Glacier Visitor Center	W
2/3/2015	Mike Neussl returns as deputy DOT commissioner overseeing state ferries	P,W2
3/16/2015	Update on cruise lines installing new pollution control technology	P
3/16/2015	Southeast Conference mid session summit getting underway	W
3/17/2015	Prince Rupert delegation visits Juneau during Southeast Conference mid-session summit	W

Education Issues

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1/15/2015	Details about the closure of the University of Alaska Southeast bookstore	P
1/27/2015	Seminar held at UAS on "I am (not) Charlie"	P
1/29/2015	Governor Walker encourages Alaskans at Innovation Summit to be ingenious	W
1/30/2015	Juneau School District comes up with options in advance of undefined state and local funding	P
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2/13/2015	Survivor of child sexual abuse, David Holthouse, speaks about latest push to legislate sexual abuse education in the schools	W
2/16/2015	School kids learning about Elizabeth Peratovich	P
2/17/2015	School Board meets today to talk about next year's budget	W
2/19/2015	Montessori Borealis planning to expand with preschool and lower elementary classes	P
2/19/2015	Foster kids recount their experiences as lawmaker pushes for reform of state program	P
2/20/2015	R/V Sikuliaq's mission and recent science explained by former fisheries science school dean	I
2/24/2015	Climate survey meant to ask University of Alaska Southeast students about sexual assault starts next week	P
3/3/2015	Legislature consider cuts to early childhood education funding	P
3/3/2015	Head of school district asks CBJ Assembly for full local funding for activities and programs, more teachers	W
3/10/2015	Juneau School District mulling over possible budget cuts in advance of lower contributions from state and CBJ	W
3/10/2015	UAS literature class studies with inmates at Lemon Creek Correctional Center	P
3/12/2015	ALICE training underway in Juneau schools provides alternative routine for active shooter events	P
3/12/2015	Mavea Ordaz wins Alaska Poetry Out Loud contest again this year	W
3/17/2015	Lucy Potter is new principal of Glacier Valley Elementary School	R
3/25/2015	Juneau School Board approves \$86 million budget that is still dependent on CBJ and state funding	W
3/25/2015	Teacher Allie Smith to be honored by Discovery Southeast	P